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# Avoiding thoughtless waste: Consider the energy cost of emails in the NHS

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#### Abstract:

Chivian's article on climate change has generated debate, and I agree with respondents who underline that a doctor's main duty is to ensure that patients are efficiently well cared for within the constraints of the work environment. However, we sometimes need to make sure that thoughtless waste does not occur within the organisations in which we work.

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## **Resource Description**

### Communication: M

resource focus on research or methods on how to communicate or frame issues on climate change; surveys of attitudes, knowledge, beliefs about climate change

A focus of content

#### Communication Audience: M

audience to whom the resource is directed

Health Professional

#### Exposure: M

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Unspecified Exposure

## Geographic Feature: M

resource focuses on specific type of geography

None or Unspecified

## Geographic Location: M

resource focuses on specific location

Non-United States

Non-United States: Europe

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European Region/Country: European Country

Other European Country: United Kingdom

Health Impact: M

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

Health Outcome Unspecified

Medical Community Engagement:

resource focus on how the medical community discusses or acts to address health impacts of climate change

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Mitigation/Adaptation: ™

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Mitigation

Resource Type: M

format or standard characteristic of resource

Policy/Opinion

Timescale: **☑** 

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified